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Listings of fast growing jobs available by region

INDIANAPOLIS (September 6, 2007) -- Listings containing the fastest growing high wage jobs in each of the state's 11 economic growth regions have now been published by the Department of Workforce Development.

Modeled on the statewide "Hoosier Hot 50 Jobs," the rankings for each region are based on projected employment growth, total job openings, and wage factors. Jobs that make the listing have high growth factors in Indiana's Occupational Projections 2004-2014 and high wages according to the Occupational Employment Statistics (OES) survey, both produced by Indiana's Department of Workforce Development.

Depending on the workforce population of the region, each listing contains either 25 or 50 of the region's fastest growing jobs.

"These listings provide a snapshot of the good-paying jobs that we project will have the most openings on a regional basis," said Andrew Penca, commissioner of the Indiana Department of Workforce Development.

"Like our statewide Hoosier Hot 50 jobs, these listings support the premise that "the more you learn, the more you earn," Penca added.

The new listings for each of the Indiana's 11 Economic Growth Regions can be accessed here: <http://www.hoosierdata.in.gov/docs/hh50/hh50regions.pdf>

The statewide Hoosier Hot 50 Jobs, which was published last year by the state, can be accessed here: <http://www.in.gov/dwd/hoosierhotjobs/index.html>